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Ex Parte and Under Seal

Honorable Alison J. Nathan
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
40 Foley Square
New York, New York 10007

United States v. Pizzaro et. al.
including Juan Rivera
17 Cr. 151 (AJN)

Dear Judge Nathan:

Bobbi Sternheim and I are the attorneys for Juan Rivera in the above referenced case. Kindly treat this letter as an ex parte and under seal request for the approval of investigative and other resources pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3599(a)(2)(f). This application discusses defense strategy and other confidential communications among defense counsel. I write to request that your Honor sign the enclosed proposed four ex parte Orders which directs the New York State Department of Corrections to release Mr. Rivera's entire prison record.

In order to prepare for a mitigation submission to the government, or a sentencing submission to the Court, we must thoroughly investigate all aspects of Mr. Rivera's life. Mr. Rivera was incarcerated in the New York State prison system for approximately 16 years. These records are necessary to show Mr. Rivera's activities and conduct while in prison.

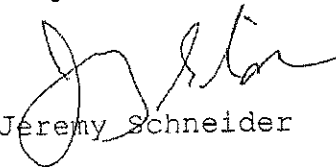
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This letter should remain Under Seal until further Order from the Court.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,



Jeremy Schneider

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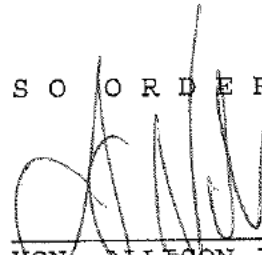
Upon the application of Jeremy Schneider, counsel for JUAN RIVERA, a defendant in the above captioned case;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that the New York State Department of Correction release Mr. Juan Antonio Rivera's, DOB: [REDACTED] NYSID # [REDACTED] entire incarceration record including but not limited to disciplinary records, housing unit records, visiting logs, telephone records, transfer records, work history, education records, certificate programs, all department of corrections records included in the files to Mr. Rivera's attorney, Jeremy Schneider, Esq, or his representative, within fourteen (14) days upon receipt of this Order.

Dated: New York, New York

May 12, 2017

S O R D E R E D:



HON. ALLISON J. NATHAN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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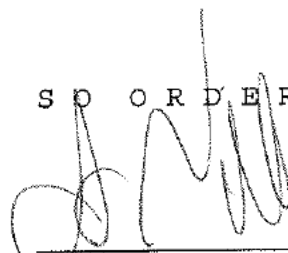
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IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that the New York State Department of Correction release Mr. Juan Antonio Rivera's, DOB: [REDACTED] NYSID: [REDACTED] complete medical record including but not limited to mental health records, test results, hospital visits, prescriptions list, diagnosis history, drug related treatment records, all medical records from the New York Department of Corrections in the files to Mr. Rivera's attorney, Jeremy Schneider, Esq, or his representative, within fourteen (14) days upon receipt of this Order.

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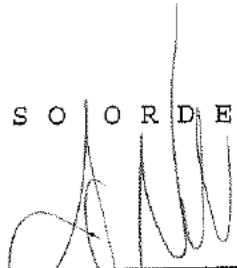
Upon the application of Jeremy Schneider counsel for JUAN RIVERA, a defendant in the above captioned case;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that the Health and Hospital Corporation, The Medical Records Unit for Rikers Island Correctional Facility release Mr. Juan Antonio Rivera's, DOB: [REDACTED] NYSID [REDACTED] entire medical record including but not limited to prescription history, appointment history, tests, test results, hospital visits, mental health, drug and alcohol programs, emergency visits, all department of corrections medical records included in the files to Mr. Rivera's attorney, Jeremy Schneider, Esq, or his representative, within fourteen (14) days upon receipt of this Order.

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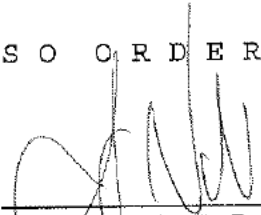
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IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that Legal Department of the City of New York Department of Corrections for Rikers Island Correctional Facility release Mr. Juan Antonio Rivera's, DOB: [REDACTED] NYSID [REDACTED] entire incarceration record including but not limited to disciplinary records, housing unit records, visiting logs, telephone records, transfer records, work history, education records, certificate programs, all department of corrections records included in the files to Mr. Rivera's attorney, Jeremy Schneider, Esq, or his representative, within fourteen (14) days upon receipt of this Order.
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